


TO
Miss Amanda M. Senior.
Lake Mahopie West Chester Co. N. Y.



I'm absent from thee dearest

Ballad

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J. B. MURPHY

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JAMES HARRISON

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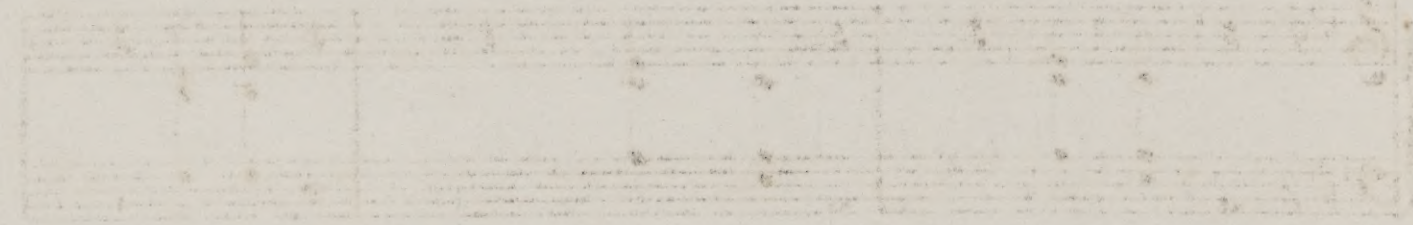
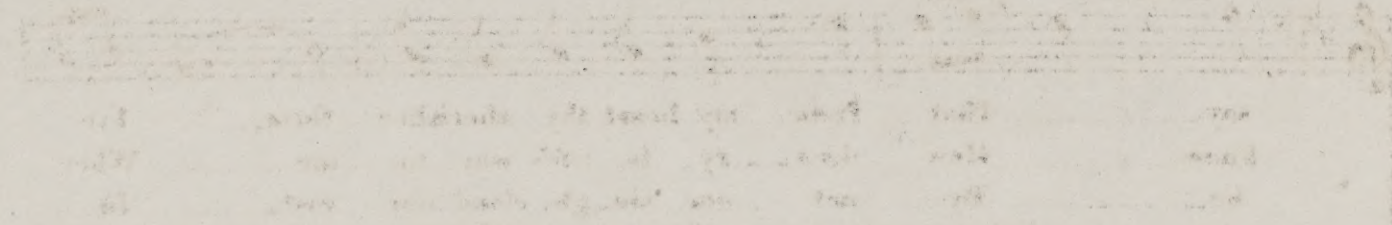
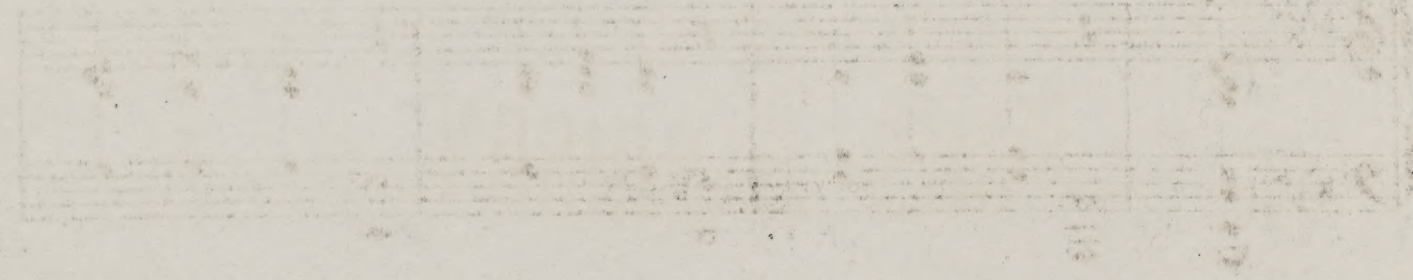
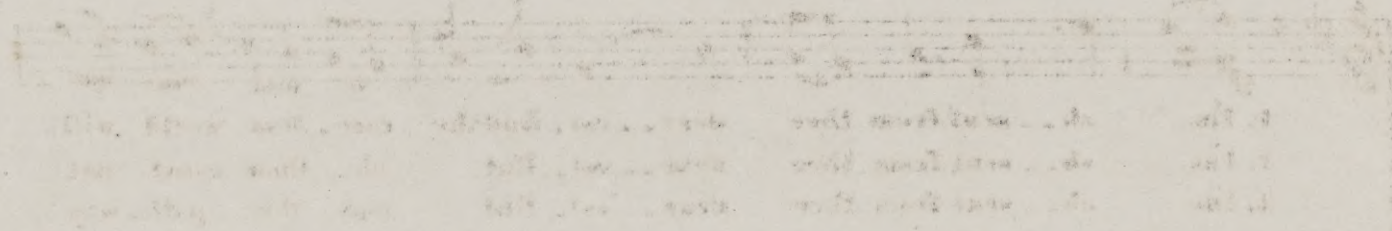
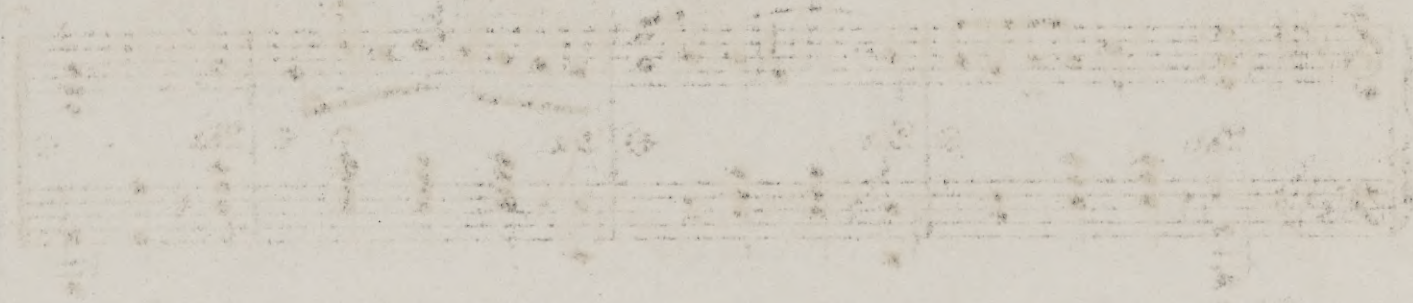
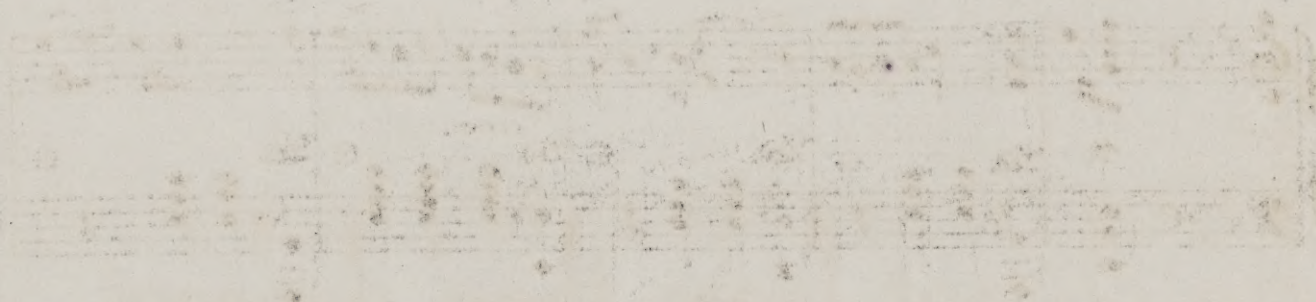
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THE ARCADE FROM THE DE WEST



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PIANO

1. I'm ab-- sent from thee dear-- est, And the care-- less world will
 2. I'm ab-- sent from thee dear-- est, But oh, thou canst not
 3. I'm ab-- sent from thee dear-- est, But may thy path-- way

say..... That from my heart thy cherished form,..... I've
 know..... How drea-- ry is life's way to me..... Wher--
 be,..... By not one sin-- gle cloud o'er-- cast,..... In

ruth-less torn a-way. That dark-ling clouds have veiled the
 -e'er my foot-steps go. With-out thy smile life hath no
 all thy dreams of me. And if perchance we meet no

 light Of love with-in, of love with-in thine eye..... And
 power One cheering ray, one cheering ray to start;..... And
 more Still will my heart, still will my heart con-fess,..... How-

 thou hast left thee nought on earth..... But tears and mi-se-ry.
 grief's the on-ly constant guest..... That reigns with-in my heart.
 -e'er thy fate from mine a-part..... I could not love thee less.

I'm ab - sent from thee dear - - est But may thy pathway be By
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not one sin - gle cloud o'ercast In all thy dreams of me.
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